

BEFORE THE
POSTAL RATE COMMISSION
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20268-0001

POSTAL RATE AND FEE CHANGES

Docket No. R2006-1

NOTICE OF UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE OF FILING OF
SECOND ERRATA TO LIBRARY REFERENCE L-124 [Errata]
(August 3, 2006)

The United States Postal Service hereby provides notice of the filing of errata to library reference L-124 (Special Services and Standard Mail Forwarding Pricing Spreadsheets (Mitchum)). The changes are small corrections to worksheets "WP-3 Certificates of Mailing," "WP-4 Confirm" and "WP-13 Fee Change Summary," as described in the following page. These changes have no impact on witness Mitchum's testimony, including his pricing proposals. The affected pages of LR-L-124 are attached, and the complete Excel file for LR-L-124, as revised, is also being filed.

Respectfully submitted,

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SUMMARY OF CHANGES

The errata correct two errors in LR-L-124. The first affects both After Rates Volume and Revenue related to Certificates of Mailing, and the second is a descriptive error for Confirm.

WP-3 Certificates of Mailing

As a result of two erroneously hard coded cells (U20 and U22) in LR-L-124, and other formulas in the workbook, several additional cells were affected. The hard coded cells should have been populated with the following formulas:

U20 should have contained “=’WP-15 Volume input Data’!H22”

U22 should have contained “=’WP-15 Volume input Data’!H24”

The cells that are affected by the errata are:

Worksheet	Cell(s)
WP-3 Certificates of Mailing	AD15, AD16, AD25, AM28, AM39, AM33, AM45, AM47, AM 50, AU28, AU30, AU33, AU45, AU47 and AU50
WP-13 Fee Change Summary	B28, <i>B30</i> , B32, F28, F30, F32, H28, H30, H32 and J32

The italicized cells are not visibly affected as the changes are not sufficient to affect the rounded numbers.

WP-4 Confirm

There is a non-numerical error on WP-4 Confirm. The headings in cells K28 and K29 were incorrect, as follows:

K28 should have read “10th through 99th”

K29 should have read “100th and more”

The revised headings are now consistent with witness Mitchum’s testimony (USPS-T-40 at 18) and proposed Fee Schedule 991.

**SPECIAL SERVICES
CERTIFICATE OF MAILING
TEST YEAR 2008**

Mail Class Type	Volumes			Fees (\$)		Revenues (\$)		Percent Change ^{1/}
	FY 2005	Before Rates	After Rates	Current	Proposed	Before Rates	After Rates	
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
First Class								
Basic	2,154,340	2,033,202	2,007,942	\$ 0.95	\$ 1.05	1,931,541	2,108,339	10.53%
Firm Book Mailing	389,896	367,972	363,401	\$ 0.30	\$ 0.35	110,392	127,190	16.67%
Bulk: First 1,000 Pcs	45,184	42,643	42,114	\$ 4.75	\$ 5.50	202,556	231,624	15.79%
Each Add'L. 1,000 Pcs	104,073	98,221	97,001	\$ 0.55	\$ 0.60	54,022	58,200	9.09%
Total	2,693,493	2,542,038	2,510,457			2,298,510	2,525,354	
Priority								
Basic	54,508	58,325	50,875	\$0.95	\$1.05	55,408	53,419	10.53%
Firm Book Mailing	1,992	2,131	1,859	\$0.30	\$0.35	639	651	16.67%
Bulk: First 1,000 Pcs	597	639	557	\$4.75	\$5.50	3,034	3,065	15.79%
Each Add'L. 1,000 Pcs	278	297	259	\$0.55	\$0.60	164	156	9.09%
Total	57,375	61,392	53,551			59,246	57,290	
Standard Mail								
Basic	6,839	7,510	7,253	\$0.95	\$1.05	7,134	7,616	10.53%
Firm Book Mailing	0	0	0	\$0.30	\$0.35	0	0	16.67%
Bulk: First 1,000 Pcs	762	837	808	\$4.75	\$5.50	3,974	4,445	15.79%
Each Add'L. 1,000 Pcs	0	0	0	\$0.55	\$0.60	0	0	9.09%
Total	7,601	8,346	8,061			11,108	12,060	
Package Services								
Basic	70,702	75,206	71,788	\$0.95	\$1.05	71,446	75,377	10.53%
Firm Book Mailing	1,005	1,069	1,020	\$0.30	\$0.35	321	357	16.67%
Bulk: First 1,000 Pcs	0							
Each Add'L. 1,000 Pcs	0							
Total	71,707	76,275	72,808			71,767	75,734	
Total All Classes								
Basic	2,286,389	2,174,242	2,137,858	\$0.95	\$1.05	2,065,530	2,244,751	10.53%
Firm Book Mailing	392,893	371,173	366,280	\$0.30	\$0.35	111,352	128,198	16.67%
Bulk: First 1,000 Pcs	46,543	44,119	43,479	\$4.75	\$5.50	209,564	239,134	15.79%
Each Add'L. 1,000 Pcs	104,351	98,518	97,260	\$0.55	\$0.60	54,185	58,356	9.09%
Grand Total	2,830,176	2,688,052	2,644,878			2,440,631	2,670,439	

^{1/} Denotes the percentage change from the current fee to the proposed fee, or (Column 5 - Column 4)/Column 4.

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**SPECIAL SERVICES
CONFIRM®
TEST YEAR 2008**

USPS-T-40
WP-4

	Volumes			Fees (\$)		Revenues (\$)		Percent Change ^{2/}
	FY 2005	Before Rates	After Rates	Current	Proposed	Before Rates	After Rates	
VALUE:	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
Silver	16	16	N/A	\$2,000.00	N/A	32,000	N/A	N/A
Additional Scans	0	0	N/A	\$500.00	N/A	0	N/A	N/A
Gold	119	119	N/A	\$4,500.00	N/A	535,500	N/A	N/A
Additional Scans	1	1	N/A	\$750.00	N/A	750	N/A	N/A
Platinum	45	45	N/A	\$10,000.00	N/A	450,000	N/A	N/A
User Fee	N/A	N/A	180	N/A	\$5,000.00	N/A	900,000	N/A
Blocks of Units								
1st through 9th	N/A	N/A	919	N/A	\$70.00	N/A	64,330	N/A
10th through 99th	N/A	N/A	4,365	N/A	\$35.00	N/A	152,775	N/A
100th and more	N/A	N/A	22,868	N/A	\$17.50	N/A	400,190	N/A
Total	N/A	N/A	28,152	N/A		N/A	617,295	N/A
Additional IDs								
Quarter	292	0	0	\$500	\$750	0	0	50.0%
Annual	0	0	0	\$2,000	\$2,000	0	0	0.0%
Total	292	0	0			0	0	
Total						1,018,250	1,517,295	

1/ TYAR Volume is estimated based on base year usage by existing customers.

2/ Denotes the percentage change from the current fee to the proposed fee.

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SPECIAL SERVICES COST COVERAGES AND PERCENTAGE CHANGES

USPS-T-40
WP-13

Service	After Rates Volume 1/ (000)	After Rates Cost Per Piece 2/ (\$)	After Rates Total Cost 3/ (000)	After Rates Revenue 1/ (000)	After Rates Cost Coverage (Col 4/Col 3)	After Rates Revenue Per Piece (Col 4/Col 1)	Before Rates Revenue 1/ (000)	Before Rates Volume 1/ (000)	Before Rates Total Cost 4/ (000)	Before Rates Cost Per Piece 2/ (\$)	Before Rates Cost Coverage (Col 9/Col 2)	Before Rates Revenue Per Piece (Col 7/Col 8)	After Rates Percentage Change (Col 6/Col 9)
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)
Address Changes to Election Boards	82	0.32	26	26	99.7%	0.3200	23	82		0.32	87%	0.2800	14.29%
Address Correction - Manual	64,512	0.401	25,867	32,256		0.5000	48,533	64,711		0.40	187%	0.7500	-33.33%
Address Correction - Electronic													
First-Class Mail	39,928	0.044	1,774	2,396		0.0600	25,110	119,569		0.04	473%	0.2100	-71.43%
Other	147,786	0.291	42,962	36,946		0.2500	48,264	229,828		0.29	72%	0.2100	19.05%
Address Correction - Automated (letters)													
First-Class Mail	545,911	0.004	2,205	6,499		0.0119	N/A	N/A		N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Standard Mail	508,501	0.005	2,568	27,566		0.0542	N/A	N/A		N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Total Address Correction	1,306,638		70,604	71,598	101.4%	0.0548	121,907	414,109				0.2944	-81.39%
Address Sequencing	N/A	0.32	N/A	N/A	102.9%	0.3300	N/A	N/A		N/A	94%	0.3000	10.00%
Certificates of Mailing													
Basic	2,138	0.75	1,598	2,245		1.0500	2,066	2,174		0.75	127%	0.9500	10.53%
Firm Book Mailing	366	0.26	96	128		0.3500	111	371		0.26	114%	0.3000	16.67%
Bulk First 1,000	43	3.77	164	239		5.5000	210	44		3.77	126%	4.7500	15.79%
Bulk Additional 1,000	97	0.38	36	58		0.6000	54	99		0.38	147%	0.5500	9.09%
Total	2,645		1,894	2,670	141.0%	1.0097	2,441	2,688				0.9080	11.20%
Confirm®													
Silver	N/A			N/A			32	16				2.0000	-100.00%
Additional Scans	N/A			N/A			0	0				500.0000	-100.00%
Gold	N/A			N/A			536	119				4.5000	-100.00%
Additional Scans	N/A			N/A			1	1				0.7500	-100.00%
Platinum	N/A			N/A			450	45				10.0000	-100.00%
User Fee	0			900		5,000.0000	N/A	N/A				N/A	N/A
Blocks of Units													
1st through 9th	1			64		70.0000	N/A	N/A				N/A	N/A
10th through 89th	4			153		35.0000	N/A	N/A				N/A	N/A
90th and more	23			400		17.5000	N/A	N/A				N/A	N/A
Total Blocks of Units	28			617			1,018	181					
Additional IDs													
Quarter	0			0		750.0000	0	0				500.0000	50.00%
Annual	0			0		2,000.0000	0	0				2000.0000	0.00%
Total Additional Ids	0			0			0	0					
Total Confirm	28	N/A	1,201	1,517	126.3%	53.5541	1,018	181				5.6257	851.96%
Correction of Mailing Lists (Per Address)	211	0.32	68	70	102.9%	0.3300	63	211		0.32	94%	0.3000	10.00%